

FISCAL NOTE

SB 2521

February 2, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the Commissioner of Environment and Conservation to issue a stop work order when surface mining activities cause violation of water quality regulations.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Estimate assumes the Department of Environment and Conservation will utilize existing staff and budgeted resources to implement the provisions of the bill.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

James W. White, Executive Director